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GENERAL NEWS.

(BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.)

Against Cremation.

The *Herald's* special says: A bill has been introduced in the Pennsylvania legislature making cremations of the human body a crime. It will probably pass.

Murder and Suicide.

Yonkers, March 14.—Theron Maritt this afternoon shot and killed Mrs. Samuel Legett, then shot and killed himself.

Hanged.

Concord, N. H., March 15.—Joseph Lapaige, alias Joseph Parish, was executed in the state prison to-day for the murder of Josie A. Langmaid, aged 17, at Pembroke, on the 4th of October, 1875. He confessed to murdering Miss Langmaid, and Miss Bell, a school teacher at St. Albans, in 1874.

Polygamists Arrested.

Boston, Mass., March 15.—State detectives at Tewksbury yesterday arrested a number of men on the charge of living in open polygamy. An attempt is making to establish polygamous society at Tewksbury.

The Arlington Case.

Richmond, Va., March 15.—In the United States court, to-day, Judge Hughes rendered a decision in the Arlington case sustaining the [illegible] to the attorney general's [illegible] that because the United States was [illegible] defendant in the suit the court had no jurisdiction to try it.

Church Matters.

New York, March 15.—The *Post* says that a majority of the standing committees of the [illegible] the Protestant Episcopal church [illegible] bishops have consented to the consecration of Rev. Geo. Seymour, D. D., bishop [illegible] diocese of Springfield, Illinois. A special meeting of the house of bishops is [illegible] June 20th to consider the resignation of jurisdiction by Bishop McCloskey [illegible], and at the same time an [illegible] be proposed of a missionary [illegible] New Mexico and Arizona, to fill the [illegible] caused by the declination of the [illegible] Knickerbocker.

Librarian Resigned.

[illegible] has resigned the office [illegible] of the Astor library.

[illegible] Chief Engineer at Paris.

[illegible] March 15.—T. E. Sickles, former [illegible] of the U. P. R. R., has been [illegible] engineer of the U. S. department [illegible] exposition.

An Escaped Robber.

[illegible] being made to recapture [illegible], alias Thomas Nixon, the [illegible] Pacific robber, who broke jail [illegible] night, stole a team and [illegible] arrested in Texas last Christmas [illegible] to Nebraska and put under [illegible] appearance at trial.

[illegible] Land Commission.

[illegible], Ark., March 15.—There is a [illegible] here that congress should legislate [illegible] extend the term of the Hot [illegible] commission, which otherwise will [illegible] April. It will require a [illegible] the conflicting claims [illegible] government reservation and [illegible] nothing can be [illegible] the burned district [illegible] and other improvements [illegible] the benefit of invalids. [illegible] settle the land titles, the [illegible] will fully refund or [illegible] and local taxation and [illegible] will do the rest. There are [illegible] seekers here now and the [illegible] annually. The expiration of the commission's term before its [illegible] would be a public calamity.

Fire at Hot Springs.

[illegible] 15.—Some dozen persons [illegible] by a second fire to-day, [illegible] about $10,000. [illegible] to-day to remonstrate [illegible] of the senate bill extending [illegible] commissioners and an [illegible] superintendent to lease the [illegible] Mountain Water Co.

[illegible] of the Storm.

[illegible] 15.—The remains of Mc[illegible] hunting party from [illegible] were found to-day [illegible] bodies of his com[illegible]

[illegible] Four Times.

[illegible] March 16.—Gus Johnson, the [illegible] ferryman Alfred, was [illegible] to-day. A tremendous [illegible] Johnson confessed to [illegible]

[illegible] his Wish.

[illegible] March 16.—Robert McEvoy, [illegible] murder of J. J. Gregg and [illegible] to-day at Aiken, South [illegible] granted by Gov. Hampton till [illegible] on two grounds, invalidity of [illegible] his statement that he knew [illegible] of Sawyer at Ridge Springs [illegible] he did not want the re[illegible]

[illegible] and Arson.

[illegible] March 16.—Last night [illegible] Glaser, near this city, was [illegible] and blackened re[illegible] and wife were found in the [illegible] that they had been [illegible] was rifled and set on [illegible] jury found a verdict to [illegible] rich farmer.

[illegible] Snow.

[illegible] 15.—The storms of last [illegible] the upper Missouri valley [illegible] snow on the stage road [illegible] from one to fifteen feet [illegible]

[illegible] of an Old Firm.

[illegible] March 15.—Furness, Ash & [illegible] goods and auction and [illegible] in the city, suspended to-[illegible] was brought about by [illegible] in business. Liabilities [illegible] $100,000 and $150,000. The [illegible] are the banks who held the [illegible] expected they will be able [illegible] full.

[illegible] Billiard Match.

[illegible] March 15.—The match between [illegible] finger billiardist, and Wm. [illegible] to-night. The conditions [illegible] make 2,000 points with his [illegible] made 1,000 with a cue. [illegible] won by Adams in the 51st [illegible] Saxton with 834 points. The [illegible] was 51 if 31; loser's, 27 and [illegible] largest runs, 306, 1,110; [illegible], 147.

The Dartmouth Hazers.

[illegible], N. H., March 15.—Of the three [illegible] for hazing with intent to [illegible] succeeded in getting bail. [illegible] imitations with a keeper. [illegible] will take place Monday. Warrants [illegible] issued for the sophomores. [illegible] will be obliged to leave college [illegible] has been delayed by a disagreement among the faculty as to the proper [illegible]

WEST INDIES.

[illegible] Trip to Cuba.

[illegible] March 14.—Late advices from [illegible] the American consul says [illegible] of Louisiana, was in town [illegible] business, and not engaged [illegible] ascribed to him by American [illegible]

A Dictator in Cuba.

[illegible] March 15.—De Luna received a [illegible] Cuba yesterday stating that Vo[illegible] has proclaimed himself dictator, [illegible] the government of the revolution [illegible] attached to the relief of Mercer [illegible] department in company with [illegible]

[illegible] Nothing More.

[illegible], March 15.—The mail steamer [illegible] has arrived. [illegible] received at St. Thomas that [illegible] of San Domingo, with his [illegible] at Mayaguez, in the Island of [illegible] March 8th. The fact of his arrival [illegible] in St. Thomas when [illegible]

WASHINGTON CITY.

An Expensive Office.

New York, March 15.—The *Tribune's* Washington special says: Evarts during an interview to-day said the reductions in the salaries of minister will prejudice the diplomatic service. The minister to England, he said, must pay from thirty to forty thousand yearly more than his salary.

Murder Unavenged.

New York, March 15.—The *Tribune's* Washington special says: The widow of the murdered Judge Chisholm is in town and looks terribly careworn. She says the trial at Jackson, Mississippi, just concluded, was a farce and the murderers are still at large.

One Timber Bill Slaughtered.

Chicago, March 14.—The *Tribune's* Washington special says the president's veto of the timber bill has killed it, the house judiciary committee not having even considered it.

Some of Wigginton's Bills.

Wigginton has been authorized by the full committee to report to the house passage at the first opportunity the following bills, which have heretofore been in his charge for examination or prepared by him as substitutes for pending measures:

A bill amending the timber culture act so as to provide that title to 160 acres may be acquired by planting and successfully growing ten acres of trees, according to present requirements as to time, except that allowance shall be made for seasons of extreme and unusual drought, and that the land shall be cultivated one year before planting it with timber. An ironclad oath is inserted in this bill guarding against the possibility of speculation.

Also, a bill authorizing the issue of certificates of deposit for surveys and their use in payment for land.

Also, a bill compelling the local land officers in every case of abandonment or forfeiture of homestead or pre-emption entries to notify the party interested, and publish a notice in the newspapers allowing him 60 days in which to make a valid entry.

Sargent's Timber Land Bill.

Washington, March 14.—The bill introduced by Senator Sargent to-day for the sale of timber lands, provides that surveyed public lands in California, Oregon and Washington territory, valuable chiefly for timber, and unfit for cultivation, may be sold to U. S. citizens in quantities not exceeding 160 acres, to any one person or association at the minimum price of $2.50 per acre, and lands valuable chiefly for stone may be sold on the same terms. The bill however expressly excepts from its operations all mining claims or the improvements of any *bona fide* settler or lands containing gold, silver, cinnabar, copper or coal, and all state selections under grants for education, internal improvements or other purposes, or lands within Indian or military reservations. It is also provided that the bill shall not defeat any rights conferred by the act of 1866, granting the right of way for ditches, etc., over public lands, or impair any *bona fide* claim under any U. S. law. The bill contains stringent provisions to guard against the acquisition of title for speculative purposes, requiring, among other things, personal affidavits to be made by the applicants that the land is of the prescribed character; that they apply to purchase for their own use and benefit; that they have made no agreement to alienate the title; which statements, together with a minute description of the land, shall be published for sixty days in the nearest newspaper, as notice for adverse claim, etc. False swearing is to be punished as perjury and evasion of other provisions of the act will work a forfeiture of title. The bill next provides that after its enactment it shall be unlawful to cut, destroy or remove timber from any public lands with intent to export or dispose of the same, and no owner, master or consignee of any vessel, or owner, director or agent of any railroad shall knowingly transport the same. Any person violating these prohibitions shall be fined from $100 to $1,000, but nothing herein contained shall prevent any miner or agriculturalist from clearing his land in the ordinary working of his mining claim or preparing his farm for tillage, or from taking timber necessary to support his improvements, and the penalties provided by this bill shall not take effect until one year after its enactment. The bill provides with regard to all territories except Washington that the number of acres of timber land purchasable from the government by any one person or association shall not exceed forty.

Wren's Timber Bill.

Representative Wren's bill allowing the use of timber on mineral lands for mining and other domestic purposes does not contain the proviso of the senate committee, and a similar bill mentioned yesterday that no timber shall be cut in mountain regions within three miles of the upper timber line. He omitted this proviso because it would manifestly impair the usefulness of the bill for a large class of people living in the foothills of the Sierra Nevadas and elsewhere.

The Texas Pacific People Gain a Point.

To-day's favorable action by the sub-committee of the senate railroad committee on the Texas Pacific bill is another decided step in advance for that project, and it is believed to foreshadow a favorable report from the full committee.

For Consul at Apia.

Thos. M. Dawson, nominated to-day for confirmation as consul at Apia, is a resident of Oakland. His appointment is made upon strong recommendations from Senator Sargent and merchants in San Francisco doing business with the Samoan Islands.

A California Ranch Bill.

Representatives Wigginton, Hewitt and Sapp, constituting a sub-committee of the house committee on public lands, have agreed to report favorably the bill for the relief of pre-emption settlers, with certain important amendments. They provide that the commissioners shall not appraise any of the lands at a higher value than $5 per acre, and provides that not only mineral lands, but also timber lands and all unsurveyed lands shall be exempted from location by proposed certificates. The certificates are, however, made assignable.

Bullion Certificates.

Washington, March 15.—Committee on banking and currency this morning agreed upon a bill providing for issuing of silver bullion certificates. The bullion is to be counted at its equivalent in coin less the mint charges and cost of transportation. Certificates are to be issued by any silver coining mint or assay office and to be redeemable at the assay office in New York and mint in San Francisco. The certificates are to be legal tender in payment for all government dues.

Death of a Congressman.

Washington, March 15.—Secretary Evarts this afternoon telegraphed from the state department the following, addressed to Hon. Samuel J. Randall, speaker of the house of representatives:

A telegraphic communication has just been received from the United States consul general at Havana stating that Hon. John Edwards Leonard, a representative from Louisiana, died this morning of yellow fever. (Signed) W. M. EVARTS, Secretary of State.

The House Adjourns.

Washington, March 15.—After the eulogy by Ellis on Judge Leonard the house adjourned in respect to the memory of the deceased member.

Charges Sustained against Col. Polk.

Washington, March 15.—The house committee of reform in civil service, investigating the affairs of Col. Polk, doorkeeper of the house of representatives, agreed upon a report by a vote of seven against three charging him with violation of law and loose management of his office in the matter of appointments, and they recommend his removal, and that the subordinates of the house be placed under charge of the sergeant-at-arms until the house shall determine upon the election of another doorkeeper. It was shown that many of the appointments were made on the importunity of some members of the house who promised appropriations of money to cover all deficiencies occurring from such appointments; and further, that the troubles which attended the doorkeeper resulted in part from the fault of the present system of dispensing patronage. Nothing appeared in the evidence before the committee showing the doorkeeper intentionally did wrong in the premises.

Trying to Oust an Inspector.

Washington, March 15.—For some time assaults have been made upon Chas. Bemis, supervising inspector of steam vessels at San Francisco, designed to create a vacancy in that office. The only charge was that about eight years ago he did some work on the steamer *Mohongo* and received pay therefor, which was alleged to be in violation of his duty. The charge was investigated by Special Agent Evans while Bemis was attending the last annual meeting of the board of inspectors in this city, and Evans reported that the fact was innocent. The secretary of the treasury, however, after Bemis had returned to San Francisco sent him a copy of the charge with the request for his own answer. Bemis replied, showing that he superintended certain iron work on the steamer, but not on its boilers; that the boilers were not repaired, and that he did not inspect the boilers. They were inspected by his superior officer, at his (Bemis') request, because he had done work on the vessel. The defense is deemed ample in the department, in view of the law and its former action, but as the pay of inspectors has since been increased, new regulations will be issued forbidding their private employment. Bemis is expressly exonerated from any dishonesty in the matter.

Opposed to Changing the Tariff.

The four California members of the house called on Fernando Wood to express their united opposition to the changes by his tariff bill in the rates for wine and wool.

Settlement of Equal Bids.

An order was issued to-day by the postmaster general that in all cases of the equality of bids hereafter the award shall be made by lot. The long-established custom of the department in such cases has been to give the preference to the bidder living nearest the route, unless the other is the present contractor for the same service.

Invitations to the Silver Conference.

Washington, March 15.—The secretary of state has addressed our foreign ministers enclosing a copy of the silver act and requesting them to invite the government in which they are resident to a conference to fix a rate between gold and silver; said conference to be in Europe or in the United States within six months, at the time agreed upon by any three of them. He adds that the decisive majority by which the bill passed and the assertion of the president in favor of silver may be considered conclusive evidence that this country favors a bi-metallic standard. Ministers are urged to present the matter promptly.

The Deficiency Bill.

The deficiency bill lately reported appropriates a total of $2,390,065.

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

A Coming Prince.

Vienna, March 14.—*New Frie Presse* states that the crown prince of Austria will shortly visit the United States and Brazil.

Purchase of an Ironclad.

London, March 14.—The admiralty have bought the Brazilian ironclad *Independence*.

War in Africa.

Advices from Cape Town, February 25th, says there has been no serious fighting since last reports. Insurgent Kaffirs have broken into small parties which are endeavoring to force their way through the patrols and reach the settlements for plunder. The work of preventing them from carrying out their objects is excessively tedious.

A Rebellious Press.

Calcutta, March 15.—Steps are taken to suppress seditious utterings of the vernacular press.

The French State of Siege Bill.

London, March 16.—A Paris dispatch says the senate has passed the first two clauses of the bill concerning the state of siege by a vote of 162 to 143 respectively. This constitutes a signal triumph for the government. The clauses comprise a vital principle of the bill which provides that the state of siege can only be declared in the event of war or insurrection, and with the assent of the chambers.

Death of Desclosiers.

Paris, March 15.—M. Desclosiers, member of the chamber of deputies, is dead.

An Imperial Railway Act.

Berlin, March 15.—The minister of commerce stated in the reichstag to-day that Prussia would probably shortly submit a proposal for an imperial railway act to the federal council.

CANADA.

Orangemen Asking Protection.

Ottawa, March 15.—A deputation of the Orange Grand Lodge of Ontario West presented an address to the governor general in council, expressing loyalty to her majesty's throne and calling upon the government to take steps for the protection of the Orangemen of Montreal on the approaching 12th. They announce, that in event of such protection not being afforded they deemed it their duty to come down *en masse* for their defence.

New Trouble with an Old Villain.

Winnipeg, March 15.—There are new rumors of trouble with Sitting Bull. He is making efforts to embroil Canadian Indians with the mounted police.

CONGRESSIONAL.

House.

Washington, March 15.

Robbins reported a substitute for the bill to promote deposit of savings in the treasury and refunding of the national debt, which was referred to committee of the whole.

On motion of Springer to-morrow's session was set apart for private business.

The contested election of Dean vs. Field, from the 3d district of Massachusetts, was then considered.

Paying the Piper.

[From Harper's Weekly.]

Those poor men who sincerely believe that the remonetization of silver will put money in their pockets are infallibly doomed to disappointment. They now think, perhaps, that somehow the result is a triumph over the bloated bondholders, and that they themselves will presently be richer. But they will discover that they find no more work and receive no more wages, and that their wages buy no more bread. Then they will improve their instruction. They will argue that as it was the "gold bugs" who produced the depression by demonetizing silver for their own purposes, so by some hocus pocus the same public enemies have prevented the good consequences of remonetization, and are still responsible for the poverty of other people. Thus the same sentiment which has been stimulated to insist upon a repudiation of 10 cents in $1 can be excited logically and readily to demand that the entire debt shall be repudiated, and that since the Shylocks and sharks have been able to prevent the good results of the silver bill, they shall be punished by not being paid at all. This is the legitimate consequence of the kind of demagogy to which the more intelligent advocates of the silver bill have resorted. Such demoralization of the public mind as has been sedulously fostered during the winter does not end in moderation and prudence and good sense at home, or in respect and confidence abroad. We shall certainly pay the piper.

Keen Sarcasm and Very Good Sense.

[From the Yamhill Reporter.]

The sub-committee of the senate railroad committee have agreed upon Mitchell's bill granting three years' time for the construction of the O. C. R. R. from Forest Grove to Astoria, and authorized Mitchell to report it to the full committee. That is one step in advance—one more feather in Mr. Mitchell's cap. For unyielding devotion to sterile undertakings, commend us to the winter's labors of our senior senator. It is ridiculous to even think of such a thing as asking the government for the paltry appropriation necessary to make us a good navigable stream out of the Yamhill river, yet we venture the assertion in the light of our senator's general career that if the proper "influence" would represent to Mitchell that a good lighthouse was needed on Wapato lake, the matter would be before the committee on rivers and harbors without unnecessary delay, and would be supported too. It looks exceedingly probable that the O. C. Company will build a road through a mountainous wilderness that would not return them the outlay in twenty years, when they cannot be induced to extend their road through the very heart of wealth and traffic without an obligation from the people that will restore to them their outlay in two years' time! Hence it is very necessary that this defunct bill should be resuscitated. By all means.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

CALIFORNIA.

Suicide of an Unknown Count

Merced, Cal., March 14.—On Tuesday evening a German gentleman arrived here and took rooms at the El Capitan hotel, registering himself as H. Bargin. His actions were not such as to create any suspicion, and yesterday he made himself generally agreeable, retiring to his room about 11 o'clock in the evening. This morning he failed to appear and no word coming from him up to 2:30 P. M., one of the clerks went to his room and found the door fastened on the inside. He knocked repeatedly, but receiving no answer, became alarmed and secured a step ladder, mounted it, and looking over the transom above the door, discovered that the man had hung himself on one of the clothes hooks fastened to the wall. The coroner was immediately notified, the door broken open and the body taken down. All the arrangements of the room went to show that it was a deliberate suicide. A chair, which was in front of him, had evidently been used for a drop. However, had he so desired, he could easily have saved himself after the fatal leap by reaching up his hands and catching hold of the books on either side and again mounting the chair. No such attempt had been made, for had he so attempted and failed the chair would have been turned over at least. Two short letters were found, one being in English the other in German. They were to the effect that he had been wealthy, but had lost his fortune through some means, not mentioned; that he was disheartened and wished to live no longer. He also stated that he was born in Germany in 1850; that his real name was Hasso, count of ———, and that he had no father, mother, brothers or sisters living.

Kearney Ranting Around.

San Francisco, March 14.—Kearney was received to-night at the Sacramento boat landing by 7,000 men. He addressed the crowd, stating his actions at Sacramento and Oakland, and abused Grove L. Johnson.

Alta Assessed.

San Francisco, March 15.—Alta levies an assessment of one dollar per share, delinquent April 18th.

Petition for the Southern Pacific.

San Francisco, March 15.—A petition is being actively circulated in the city addressed to the congress of United States, reciting the petitioners are citizens of San Francisco, and as mining and commercial people, desire the extension of the Southern Pacific Railway East and through Arizona and New Mexico, and therefore ask congress to pass such laws as may permit the Southern Pacific Railway company to extend its road till it shall meet the constructed road from the East or at least through the territory of Arizona, to better enable the people of that section to obtain machinery.

Through the Snow.

San Francisco, March 15.—The railroad authorities announce that the delayed overland passengers and mails are due to arrive in San Francisco at 6 A. M. to-morrow, Saturday.

A Bill to Suppress Stock Gambling.

Sacramento, March 15.—In the assembly to-day Tuttle's bill to encourage mining industry and to suppress stock gambling, was taken up. The bill provides for the appointment by the governor of a mining commissioner, who shall be in no way interested in or connected with the office or agent of or employe in any mining corporation, or connected with any association of stock brokers and who shall give a bond in the sum of $10,000, and have a salary as amended of $4,000. He shall have a secretary, assistant secretary, messenger and porter, with salaries ranging as amended from $1,200 to $2,400. There is also an attorney with a salary as amended at $3,000. The bill also provides for the collection of license, one-half of one per centum on all transactions in stocks, that are on the board; all brokers to give $10,000 bond to pay over monthly to the commissioner all licenses collected and all purchases or sales of stocks void, where such license is not duly paid and receipted for. No officer of a mining company to be pecuniarily interested in any contract for milling ores, for supplies or doing other business of the corporation. Elaborate weekly reports are provided for and a penalty is attached to a refusal to admit any person authorized by the commissioner to inspect the mine or the books of corporations or to make reports or estimates required by the act. The act applies only to corporations whose capital stock has been or may hereafter be held in the stock board, or, whose shares are regularly bought and sold in the stock market. The bill was read and after some discussion made a special order for Tuesday next at 1 o'clock P. M.

A Bill to Make Lawyers.

Sacramento, March 15.—The senate judiciary committee's act to create Hasting's college of law in the University of California, was taken up and passed under a suspension of the rules.

A LOBBY THAT MEANS BUSINESS.

THE MOST POWERFUL ONE THAT HAS BEEN IN WASHINGTON FOR MANY YEARS.

[Washington Dispatch to Chicago Times.]

The lobby has never been for many years so powerful in Washington as it is this winter. It is better organized and makes less display. It has fewer agents that appear about the lobby. The business of ex-members as lobbyists is well nigh gone. To enable an ex-member to set up in business as a lobbyist he must have a law office and know something of the law. He is employed solely on his merits, and with reference to his particular acquaintance with the subject he is to advocate. The great jobbers who want to put their money where it will do the most good employ men on the inside, and keep clear of outsiders. This is the way Jay Gould is managing his business now. John Roach is doing the same thing with his Brazilian subsidy scheme. A member who had much to do with the famous Pacific Mail subsidy a few years since is said to be Gould's inside man in the house, and a senator who was a member at that time is looking after Union Pacific interests in the senate.

George D. Prentice.

[From the New York Tribune.]

In an interesting paper in the Albany *Journal*, on the late George D. Prentice, C. G. Shanks mentions an odd privilege bestowed upon the brilliant editor by Mr. Lincoln's government. He had the right of selling firearms to loyal people in Kentucky—the sole right, so that nobody in the state could purchase even a single barreled pistol without the written permission of Prentice. He administered this unusual grant so honestly, or loosely, whichever term suits best, that he made no money by it, although it could plainly have been turned to an immense account. He kept a few pistols in his office to sell or to give to his particular friends, but usually he contented himself with presenting loyal applicants for firearms with an order on any gunsmith in the city, asking and receiving no royalty.

Bob Ingersoll to Widow VanCott.

[From the Buffalo Courier.]

In an interview published this morning the Widow VanCott, the famous evangelist, now conducting a lively revival at Grace Methodist church, denominated Robert G. Ingersoll a "poor, barking dog." Col. Bob, who lectures here this evening, has addressed the widow this characteristic note:

Buffalo, Feb. 21.—Mrs. VanCott—*My Dear Madam:* Were you constrained by the love of Christ to call a man who has never injured you "a poor barking dog?" Did you make this remark as a Christian or as a lady? Did you say these words to illustrate in some faint degree the refining influence upon woman of the religion you preach? What would you think of me if I should retort, using your language, changing only the sex of the last word? I have the honor to remain yours truly, R. G. INGERSOLL.

THE EASTERN QUESTION.

Russians at Sharkoi.

Gallipoli, March 14.—There are two thousand Russian lancers and ten battalions of field artillery at Sharkoi.

Only If France Says So.

London, March 14.—All the powers have agreed that the question of Egypt, Syria, Tunis and holy places can only be raised at the congress with the consent of France.

Greece Barred Out.

Athens, March 15.—The official journal announces that Russia has rejected the proposal for the admission of Greece to the congress. Public feeling is consequently much excited against Russia.

Ordered to Stand Ready.

London, March 15.—Officers of the Royal Engineers, first on the list for foreign service, have been ordered to provide themselves with field equipment and be ready for immediate service.

Bulgarian Ruler.

Vienna, March 15.—It is announced semi-officially from St. Petersburg that Prince Battenberg, the czarina's nephew, has been definitely proposed for the throne of Bulgaria.

Roumania's Damage Suit.

London, March 15.—A Paris correspondent telegraphs that Roumania is pressing Russia for money due to the telegraph and postal departments, and to private persons for damage from the bombardment of Bucharest and the Giergevo Railroad company, and to land owners for lands taken for the Galatene and Frateste and Simnitza railways.

Turkish Atrocities.

Athens, March 15.—The commander-in-chief of the Greek army has notified the minister of war that the Turks have committed unparalleled cruelties on Christians in Epirus. A large number of destitute fugitives have entered Greece.

A Firman Granted British Vessels.

Constantinople, March 15.—It is untrue that the porte has given orders to prevent any more British men-of-war from passing the Dardanelles. Layard has recently obtained a firman permitting the passage of the *Hotspur* and *Condor*, which vessels are expected in the Gulf of Ismid shortly. Layard has also received permission to send the *Rapid* to the Albanian coast to embark fugitives.

What France will do at the Congress.

Vienna, March 15.—*Political Correspondence* publishes a letter from a source in Paris which asserts that France at the congress will endeavor to bring about a compromise, and will refuse to take part in or sanction any partition or radical change of territory.

Strengthening the Garrisons.

Ragusa, March 15.—The Turks have strengthened the garrisons in Herzegovina and are working day and night in intrenchments in the neighborhoods of Krupo, Gabela and Mostar.

Movement of Russian Troops.

A special from Pera reports that a Russian division has left Adrianople for Bulair.

Gladstone's Supporters.

London, March 15.—The liberal association of Leeds passed a resolution binding itself to support Gladstone at the next election. It does not expect him if returned to perform any local duties. Six candidates whose names were before the association have withdrawn in his favor.

Buying more Ironclads.

It is stated the admiralty have purchased or are about to purchase a large Japanese ironclad built on the Thames.

Points about the Conference.

London, March 15.—A Vienna correspondent is informed that England will consent to be represented in the congress under reserves. The conference will be assembled immediately after the treaty is communicated to the powers. The proceedings will last ten days or a fortnight. Only a few points are likely to cause debate. Austria opposes Russia assuming the protection of the entire Greek. The *Pesther Lloyd* says England and Austria have agreed to demand the annexation of Thessaly, Epirus and Macedonia to Greece, if Russia persists in the extension of Bulgaria.

Millions for Defense.

Vienna, March 15.—The budget committee of the Austrian delegation adopted by a vote of 11 to 9 a resolution to the effect that in the event of eastern affairs rendering a display of military force unavoidable for the protection of essential interests, the common government is empowered to incur with the assent of the Austrian and Hungarian ministers an expenditure not exceeding sixty million florins. The minority has given notice of a counter resolution.

Will Resign if the Vote of Credit is Refused.

A correspondent at Vienna asserts that Count Andrassy has informed the Austrian delegation that he will resign if the credit is refused.

English Naval Bill.

London, March 15.—In the house of commons to-night Smith, first lord of admiralty, introduced the navy estimates. He stated that the present force was ample to man every ship that could be commissioned. He had come to the conclusion that it was not his duty in time of peace, and he hoped of continued peace, to ask for any considerable increase of the estimates. The house then passed all the estimates except those for dock-yards and stores, the consideration of which was postponed.

A Consultative Voice.

London, March 16.—The *Post* states in official form that Russia has neither accepted nor rejected the proposition for the admission of Greece to the congress. She is disposed to agree to the admission of the Greek delegation with merely a consultative voice.

Number of Representatives.

A Berlin special says the powers have agreed that they shall each have two representatives in the congress.

Grave Complications.

A special from St. Petersburg says the unofficial world here again entertains grave apprehensions of serious complications. Men who have considerable influence in causing or averting events which they profess to foresee, say it is by no means certain that the congress will meet, and if it does meet it is not very likely to succeed in consequence of Austrian and English jealousy of Russia's success.

Russian Guards Ordered Home.

A dispatch from St. Stefano states that the Russian guards have been ordered to embark for home as soon as the treaty is ratified. It is uncertain whether this refers to the ratification by the Czar or the congress.

The Treaty no Secret.

A Vienna correspondent says Russia has notified the powers that the treaty will be sent to them immediately after ratification, Russia having no reason to conceal anything. This seems intended to assure England that there is no secret understanding.

Syrian Revolt.

London, March 16.—A Constantinople special says it is asserted that northern Syria has revolted and proclaimed itself separate from the sultan.

It is reported that the Kurds in the province of Diarbekir have revolted.

A Parallel Instance.

[From the Commercial Reporter.]

The Central Pacific Railroad Company of California commenced the construction of its road from Sacramento eastward, and connected with San Francisco from Sacramento by steamboat; and after the railroad made connections with the eastern end they then built their line to the bay of San Francisco. The Columbia river can be used by the N. P. R. R. Co. in the same way the Sacramento river was by the C. P. R. R. Co., by which we gain from two to three years quicker connection with the east, and also a vast scope of arable lands opened up for settlement that would lie idle so many more years, the trade of which would center here.

SAN FRANCISCO STOCK EXCHANGE.

San Francisco, March 15.

Alta—460 shs $4½; 220 4¾; 150 4 60; 125 4 70; 1,300 5; 100 4 95; 2,000 5¼ b 5; 100 5¼.
Alpha—80 shs $8¼; 30 8¼; 20 8.
Andes—150 shs 60c.
Belcher—280 shs $3¾; 205 3 40; 80 3 45.
Bullion—340 shs $1¼; 145 1 60; 215 4 65; 50 4½; 50 4 70.
B & B—300 shs $18; 170 17¾; 580 17½; 25 17¼; 100 17½ s 3; 20 17¾.
Con Va—350 shs $20¼; 1,295 20⅜; 100 20¾.
Chollar—110 shs $28; 20 27½; 45 27¾.
California—125 shs $28¾; 275 28½; 700 29; 775 28¾; 800 29 b 5.
Confidence—195 shs $4¼; 35 4½.
Con Imperial—1,150 shs 55c; 50 60.
Crown Point—245 shs $4½; 20 4¼.
Caledonia—805 shs $2.
Challenge—280 shs $1.
Dayton—100 shs 15c.
Exchequer—150 shs $3 10; 415 3 15; 100 3.
G & C—20 shs 7¾; 70 7½; 70 8; 20 7⅝; 450 7; 70 7¼.
H & N—25 shs $7; 40 7¼; 50 7½; 490 7⅝.
Julia—500 shs $2¼; 35 2 30; 100 2 35; 40 2 40.
Justice—200 shs $3⅝; 700 7; 50 7⅛; 100 7¼; 50 7⅜; $10 7¼.
Kentuck—50 shs $9½.
Leviathan—100 shs 35c.
Mexican—415 shs $13¾; 465 13½; 160 13⅝; 295 13⅝; 50 13¾.
Monumental—60 shs 10c.
North Con Va—50 shs 65c.
New York—200 shs 75c; 100 65; 350 70.
Ophir—635 shs $40; 1,000 40½; 300 41; 110 41¼; 50 40¾.
Overman—125 shs $13½; 150 13¾; 10 14; 20 13.
Savage—100 shs $9; 60 8¾; 375 8½; 225 8¼; 530 8; 100 8 b 5; 40 8¼.
S Nevada—735 shs $3½; 95 3 40; 40 3 80.
Senator—300 shs $3.
Succor—100 shs $1¾.
S Hill—440 shs $1 60; 495 1¾.
Solid Silver—500 shs $5⅝; 510 5¾.
St. Louis—350 shs 30c.
Trojan—625 shs 65c.
Utah—60 shs $10; 20 9¾; 155 9¼; 60 9½ b 5.
Union—575 shs $5¼; 635 5⅜; 30 5½.
Woodville—90 shs 40c; 160 35.
Ward—350 shs 80c.
Yellow Jacket—70 shs $8½; 1025 9; 30 8¾.

AFTERNOON SALES

Alta—100 shs $4 80; 130 4¾; 110 4 60; 480 4 55; 50 4 70.
Alps—490 shs $2.
Argenta—300 shs 45c; 650 40.
Belmont—200 shs 80c; 50 90.
Belle Isle—750 shs 55c.
Bullion—800 shs $5; 200 4 95.
Best & Belcher—370 shs $19½; 50 19 b 5; 25 18¾; 50 19¼ b 5.
California—395 shs $29¾.
Con Va—770 shs $20⅞; 330 21; 330 21 b 5; 310 20⅞ s 10.
Crown Point—495 shs $5; 210 5¼; 50 4¾.
Chollar—90 shs $28; 290 27; 10 27¼.
Caledonia—100 shs $2 10; 650 2 05.
Day—100 shs $1 15; 1200 1 10.
Defrees—1100 shs 10c.
Hussey—1000 shs $1; 50 90c.
Homburg—100 shs $3 35; 250 3 40.
Hale & Norcross—160 shs $8¾; 10 8⅝.
Independence—300 shs 90c.
Jackson—100 shs $2¼.
Julia—320 shs $2 35; 250 240; 300 2 45.
Justice—300 shs $7¼; 308 7; 260 $7¼; 400 7⅛.
Leeds—100 shs $1¾.
Eu Con—165 shs $37½; 95 37; 130 36¾.
Eldorado South—500 shs 90c; 500 85.
Endowment—300 shs 50c.
Leopard—200 shs 75c.
Manhattan—200 shs $10¼; 50 10¼.
Modoc—50 shs 55c; 300 60.
Grand Prize—810 shs $6¾; 100 6⅝; 30 6¾.
Gila—100 shs 60c.
G & C—305 shs $7¼.
Silver Prize—240 shs 45c; 500 50.
Spring Valley Water—25 shs $91½.
Star—250 shs $1¾; 100 1 80.
Savage—10 shs $9⅜; 20 9¼.
Silver Hill—325 shs $1¾; 300 1 65; 440 1 60.
Mexican—265 shs $13¾; 80 13¼; 170 13⅜.
Navajo—2000 shs $2 b 60; 450 1 90; 400 1¾; 1150 1 80; 1000 1 95.
N Belle—55 shs $9; 100 8¾.
Ophir—40 shs $39; 25 39¼; 50 39¾; 590 40; 180 40¼; 150 41; 105 40½; 350 42; 135 42½; 300 42¼; 60 43.
Overman—95 shs $14; 30 14½; 80 14⅛.
Rye Patch—200 shs $4 b 5; 20 3¾.
R & Ely—100 shs $4; 30 3¾.
S Nev—100 shs $3 70; 100 3¾.
Tip Top—350 shs $2 60; 100 2 65.
Utah—80 shs $11½; 10 11¼.
Union—200 shs $5¾.
Young America—650 shs 50c; 4000 45.

THE AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE.

OBJECTIONS TO SECTARIANISM CONSIDERED—A VIEW BY ONE WHO WOULD HAVE THE SCHOOL SUPPORTED BY THE TAXPAYERS OF THE STATE.

Salem, March 14, 1878.

To the Editor of the Oregonian:

I must confess my surprise at the Oregonian's editorial endorsement of the anonymous communication published in its issue of March 6th on the subject of the agricultural college. The author of that communication obviously wrote it under the inspiration of personal and private hostility to the school and not to serve any public interest, and the article itself is more conspicuous for its venom than for its veracity.

Your correspondent seems to think it an unusual thing that a denominational school should be made the agricultural college of a state. This simply illustrates his own ignorance of the subject about which he has has undertaken to write. The truth is that the best agricultural colleges in the country are at the present moment under sectarian control. Yale and Dartmouth are the agricultural colleges of their respective states, and I presume that no one, unless it may be your correspondent, needs to be informed that both of these eminent institutions of learning are denominational schools. In fact nearly one-half of the agricultural colleges are under the control of and presided over by D. Ds. Those states that have tried the experiment of maintaining their agricultural colleges as separate institutions are finding it impracticable and are gradually abandoning it.

In the first place, it is found that religious organizations can manage their schools far more cheaply than it can be done by the state. Compare, for instance, our own agricultural college with our state university. The former is in the hands of a religious denomination, and has been running successfully for many years at an expense to the state of $1,000 per annum, to be repaid out of the proceeds of the agricultural college lands. Every department of it is managed with the utmost economy. The salaries of the professors are as low as they can be put consistently with the employment of none but men of high character, talent and learning. The regents or trustees of the college are paid nothing, and all outside expenses are met by voluntary contributions. The church has its agents constantly in the field laboring for the advancement of the interests of the institution. Now, how is it with the state university? In addition to the income of the university fund, it has already received from the state a direct gift of $20,000. This appropriation was made before the school was fairly in operation and before the building was even completed. Its professors and other teachers are paid higher salaries than those of any other school in the state (all others being denominational schools), higher, I think, than any Oregon college needs to or can afford to pay. Its regents have their travelling expenses paid for them, no inconsiderable item when we remember that some of them reside at a great distance from the university. All its arrangements and expenditures are upon a most munificent scale. It is obvious, therefore, that it will need constant appropriations from the treasury to enable it to meet the demands upon its resources.

But aside from the matter of expense the experience of the world has demonstrated that on other grounds it is best that the higher education should be left to religious schools. Godless education has never been in favor with the people. Every leading college in America (and I might say in the world) is under sectarian control. The reason of this is obvious. The kingdom of letters touches the domain of morals at every point and it is fitting that both should be left in large measure to the guardianship of the church, the recognized champion and defender of the faith of Christendom.

This does not argue that any church should teach its peculiar doctrines in the schools under its control. No Protestant church does this. There is not a sectarian school in the country controlled by any Protestant denomination that attempts to inculcate the tenets of that church in the minds of its pupils. When your correspondent affirms the contrary he merely reveals his own ignorance. You cannot tell from the method of instruction or from the discipline of any such school in the country what particular church controls it.

It is conspicuously untrue of the agricultural college at Corvallis that it teaches any kind of sectarianism. With a single exception not one of its professors or teachers belongs to the M. E. Church South. The president, I believe is not a member of any church. His theology is about as simple as his code of laws for the government of the school, which embraces just two rules: "Be gentlemen and get your lesson."

The professor of languages I understand inclines in his belief to the Episcopal church, of which his wife is a member. The other professor is a member of the Christian church. Its board of regents is composed of every shade of politics and religion. It requires a marvelously sensitive soul to see in these surroundings any danger of the agricultural college giving its pupils a bias towards the M. E. Church South.

This school is a success, and its graduates throughout the state are among the most prominent of our young men. The institution has made a prudent and frugal use of the funds entrusted to it, and it deserves the continued favor of the state. I am sorry as well as surprised to see The Oregonian advocating its destruction.

Our state needs an Agricultural College more than it needs any other kind of a school, for the very sufficient reason that it is essentially a farming state. The farmers have a right to a school that shall be peculiarly theirs. Of course, this school is not yet all that its friends would like to see it. It has not that distinctive agricultural character that we hope to have it acquire in time.

If the state is not satisfied with the school under the present management let it be handed over to some other and more trustworthy denomination. Keep it in the hands of the Church. But by all means let it continue to live and flourish. Let the state cherish it and foster it as one of its most important institutions. FARMER.

OREGON.

Albany has a new hotel called the Revere House; a sounding name.

Wells, Fargo & Co. have re-established their office at McMinnville.

The remains of Capt. Nisson who was drowned recently at Yaquina Bay have been recovered.

The town of Union this coming summer will build a $10,000 hall, a $6,000 school house and a large brick brewery.

The revival meeting at the Evangelical church at Corvallis continues. Members of other churches are taking part.

The Odd Fellows of Albany have authorized the purchase of certain property of J. Gradwohl, and will put up a hall costing $12,000.

At twelve o'clock last Monday night there was a lively shooting scrape at Sheridan, but nobody was hit. The affair is involved in mystery.

The Albany *Register* thinks the proposed narrow gauge road from that place to Brownsville could be built for less than $80,000; distance, 22 miles.

A gas company is proposed at Albany. W. G. Steel is canvassing for stock. It is thought probable that by next winter the town will be lighted with gas.

Charles Heater, of Yamhill, while splitting rails recently, killed a large eagle with a club. By a lucky throw he disabled it, and then dispatched it after a fight.

Prof. Campbell's lecture at McMinnville on finance, attracted very little attention. The *Reporter* says the brother makes a mistake when he quits the pulpit for the rostrum.

Citizens of Albany are subscribing liberally for the Yaquina railroad. At a meeting last Wednesday night Thos. Monteith subscribed $600, Judge Strahan $100 and J. H. Foster $100.

It is stated that there are several large lots of potatoes about Forest Grove which are rotting because there is no market for them. Start them for Portland if the roads are not too bad to get them to the depot. There is a good price here.

Forest Grove item in *Independent*: The late storm blew down about 60 large fir trees on Mr. Hines' farm. On Albert Smith's place a large scope of timber was destroyed. Large trees were rent asunder and carried on the air like feathers.

The Dallas *Itemizer* says: The Independent "Greenback" convention of Polk was an ignoble failure. Men could not be found to run for office, and but four men nominated were present, and two of them were nominated under protest.

John Eldridge, an old and respected citizen of Douglas precinct, Polk county, died at his home January 8, 1878, aged 68 years. Mr. Eldridge came to Oregon in 1844, settled in Yamhill county, and afterward removed to Polk, where he resided up to the time of his death.

The Yamhill *Reporter* says a death-like silence now envelops the project of extending the west side road. The country thereabout is at peace again. Now, says the *Reporter*, let us not raise another hullabaloo till shipping time comes again and the necessity of a better outlet for our products raps us over the knuckles.

The Hillsboro *Independent* has a sensational story about the capture of a wife. Wayne Holcomb, asserting that his father-in-law, J. F. Shrieber, was keeping his wife away from him, went to the old gentleman's house, threatened to shoot him and took his wife home again. The young man was arrested on a charge of assault with a dangerous weapon. Giving bonds in the sum of $500, he was allowed to depart for the present.

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LINCOLN AND THE WILDERNESS CAMPAIGN.

To a recent number of the *North American Review* Gen. Richard Taylor of confederate fame furnished an article intended as a contribution to material for a history of the great war, in which he stated that the route to Richmond taken by Grant, known as the route by way of the Wilderness, was dictated by Lincoln and Stanton, while Grant himself said he was indifferent as to routes, but declared that the plan of the president and secretary of war, which was designed to keep Washington covered by the army of the Potomac, would involve the additional loss of one hundred thousand men; yet if the forces were furnished by the government he was willing to pursue it. Taylor avowed in his article that he had this statement from a well authenticated source. There has been much comment upon it by the press, because the statement, if unchallenged, would show an indifference to human life on the part of Lincoln, Stanton and Grant that would be almost appalling. It has not been credited generally; for whatever may be said of Stanton and Grant, the gentleness and humanity of Lincoln's nature are known to all the world, and it is incredible that he should have insisted on and finally ordered an advance through the Wilderness after he had been assured of the frightful cost of pushing the campaign on this plan.

The late Secretary Welles was an industrious writer for the principal magazines, and has left on record in this way much valuable material for clearing up mooted points in the history of the war. The March *Atlantic* contains the last article furnished by his pen; and it is an article written to refute the statement by Gen. Taylor, and to vindicate President Lincoln from the charge it involved. Mr. Welles shows that the statement cannot possibly be correct. President Lincoln usually had very decided opinions of his own on military matters which he frequently discussed with his cabinet and at army headquarters. But he invariably deferred on purely military points to the generals in command, for the reason that they were military experts, professionally educated, and if fit for their positions, were best qualified to decide upon the course to pursue. Had Grant said that the advance on Richmond should be made by James river the president would not have overruled the decision of the newly made commander-in-chief. The charge against Lincoln is that Grant gave warning that if the Wilderness route were taken a loss of life greater than that of the whole confederate army would be the consequence. Yet that route was adopted, mainly because, to use Taylor's words, that the other course "would be taken by the public as a confession of previous error" in having opposed McClellan's plan of campaign. Welles pronounces the whole story "a calumny on the humane, self-sacrificing and lion-hearted Lincoln." He says: "While Grant was unsympathetic and indifferent on the subject, Lincoln's sympathies were great, and such a warning would of itself have controlled him. No man more deeply deplored the loss of human life."

The truth is the plan of campaign was Grant's own. The conflict had to be settled by "hard pounding," as Wellington said at Waterloo; none knew this better than Grant. He therefore moved directly on the enemy and ceased not till he had worn him out. Just as he was about breaking camp for the advance Lincoln wrote him a note saying: "The particulars of your plans I neither know nor seek to know. I wish not to obtrude any restraints or constraints upon you." It is impossible that Lincoln, writing so, could have been directing the plan and route of the campaign. Gen. Taylor's authority for his statement could not have been "well authenticated," as he supposed.

A FINANCIAL SYSTEM.

Citizen Lawson of Salem again lets the light of his genius shine through the *Labor World* upon the financial question; and he hopes THE OREGONIAN will be able to comprehend him. It flatters itself that it does comprehend him thoroughly. It is able to follow him, though he soars with no middle flight. He shows that we are forty-seven millions of people and have thirty thousand millions of property. Now the proposition is to make money based on this great people instead of on metals of any kind. Gold and silver have no intrinsic value except for trinkets for women and savages, and we, the people, are superior to any other production of this planet. Away, then, with the barbarous idea of gold and silver as money. Give us greenbacks based on the people. This is a daring system of finance, but it is easily understood. No doubt the American citizen is a very superior creature; but paper bills based on him we should fear would not have the purchasing power that somehow, but very absurdly no doubt, inheres in barbaric gold. Citizen Lawson explains in detail how he is going to get his system into operation. And we comprehend that, too. Banker Bush has $200,000 of national bonds, for which he must take greenbacks next January. Citizen Lawson owes Smith of Silverton a heavy sum on which he is paying interest at twelve per cent. Bush, not knowing what to do with his greenbacks, because he considers them worthless under this system, we suppose, offers to pay Smith and take the Lawson's mortgage at four per cent. Smith takes the greenbacks and puts them into a railroad to Silverton, which employs many men and makes great happiness in all that part of Marion county. In ways like this two thousand millions of greenbacks would pay off the whole debt of the United States and get into circulation among the people and set everything a-booming. It is a beautiful system. It is a people's measure because it does away with all ideas of value, and puts every man on an equality. But there are impediments. In the first place the banker wouldn't take greenbacks for his bonds, and the projectors of this system would have no power to make him. In the next place Smith of Silverton wouldn't give up solid property which he holds as security for a debt and take greenbacks based on the people and never to be redeemed. And in the third place Smith, if he had such greenbacks, couldn't build a rod of the Silverton railroad with a cord and a half of them, because they wouldn't be worth three-quarters of a cent on the dollar, even if it were made by law a capital offense to refuse them at par value. Citizen Lawson, addressing himself to THE OREGONIAN, says he hopes it will be able to solve the simple process he proposes. It is able to do so without difficulty.

General Butler thinks that if United States bonds would fall to fifty cents on the dollar, it [illegible] the brightest and happiest financial

AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE AGAIN.

A writer to whom we give space argues earnestly in behalf of the agricultural college. He would have the state continue to support it by direct draft upon the taxpayers. His arguments scarcely touch the objections we have made. Certain writers whose contributions have appeared in our columns have objected to the Corvallis college as a sectarian school, and therefore improperly the recipient of aid from the state. But THE OREGONIAN has put the objection wholly on other grounds. It has urged that it is not right that the state should make this large annual appropriation for the "general support" of this school. It is a privilege that does not belong to it. It is does not deserve such favor more than the other schools of the state. Let it take the agricultural college lands and welcome; but the law making the special appropriation for its support out of funds drawn directly from the people by taxation should be repealed.

It is stated that the graduates of this school throughout the state are among the most promising of our young men. This we do not question. But it is not the duty of the people to give a special education, literary, classical and scientific, to any favored class of young men. To support the common schools is the extent of public duty in this direction. If the land endowment granted by congress were sustaining this school it would be well enough. But the direct appropriation from the state treasury should not continue. The state is under no obligation to educate a privileged class of young men in this way.

It is observed, however, that our state needs an agricultural college more than any other kind of school, for the reason that it is essentially a farming state. But who supposes that this school is turning out better farmers than other schools not favored with state support? In farming, as in every other pursuit or profession, the successful man always educates himself. We suppose it would be found on inquiry that most of the promising graduates of the agricultural college are engaging in other pursuits than those of agriculture, for which they are fitted by the general culture received at the school. But if it be proper to educate any portion of the young men of the state in this way directly at the public expense, then let similar appropriations be made for all the other colleges, so that young men generally may have a chance; and not to be partial we must let the young women in too.

According to the *Telegram*, a great controversy is raging between Mason's and Chapman's railroads. Chapman wants to force Mason to "prorate." The *Telegram* seems to hope that Mason will refuse; but we view this matter differently. It is a fight for the dearest rights of the people. Now is the time to curb a grasping corporation. If Chapman succeeds in forcing Mason to "prorate," monopoly power will have received a finishing blow. We know which side the people are on in this momentous struggle.

The Atlanta (Ga) *Constitution* declares that Toombs does not want his disabilities removed and would not be United States senator. He does want, however, to be governor of Georgia and will push for that position.

MARRIED.

At the residence of the bride's parents, March 12, 1878, by Rev. H. H. Crosier, Mr. Jasper C. McGrew of Clackamas county, and Miss Sarah Emma Lent of Multnomah county, Oregon.

NEW TO-DAY.

Irish Linens OFFERED VERY LOW BY the piece or half piece, at 107 Third street, by JOHN WILSON. m13d2t

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We buy directly from the Factory. We give extra inducements to our customers, and special terms to Agents.

Old Machines taken in exchange at satisfactory prices.

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Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

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Of every Description. Also,

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We have a well assorted and selected Stock of the above Goods, and as we buy for cash will sell at prices that defy competition.

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Of all kinds.

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Will and must be closed out in the next ten days, the Immense Stock at KOHN'S Clothing Palace at ASTONISHINGLY LOW PRICES, 25 per cent. cheaper than elsewhere. Everybody invited to call and examine stock and prices and be convinced that great bargains can be had at KOHN'S, cor. First and Morrison sts.

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OFFER FOR SALE THE CARGO OF THE BR. bark "Hertfordshire," from Liverpool direct, now landing, in quantities to suit the trade.

At Importing Rates:

150 tons Liverpool Fine Salt in 200 lb sacks;
51 " " " " 100 lb sacks;
98 " " " " 50 lb sacks;
100 " Liverpool Coarse Salt, 200 lb sacks;
60 cases (each 2 doz. 5-lb. pkgs) Refined Table Salt;
85 cases (each 1 doz. 10-lb. pkgs) Refined Table Salt;
100 tons Glengarnock Pig Iron, No. 1;
250 bxs. Window Glass, assorted sizes;
125 bbls. Bass & Co.'s Pale Ale, qts and pts;
125 " Guinness' Stout, quarts and pints;
130 cases Martell's Brandy, 1, 2, & 3 Star.
50 " " " in pint flasks;
100 " Hennessy's Brandy, one star;
67 " Holland's Gin, green and red cases;
100 bbls Soda Crystals, 224 lbs each;
200 kegs Bicarbonate of Soda, 112 lbs each;
300 bbls Plaster of Paris, 280 lbs each;
64 " Best Portland Cement.

Special Inducements

Given to Purchasers taking delivery from the wharf.

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Importing Wholesale Druggists

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In this department we are prepared to show a

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Including the

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FOR THE SEASON,

AT LOW PRICES.

As these Goods have been selected with

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Ladies will find it to their

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And examine them.

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Black and Colored Cashmeres,

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CAMEL'S HAIR CLOTHS.
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BLACK SILKS.
COL'D SILKS in all the latest shades.
FRENCH and IRISH POPLINS.
DOMESTIC and HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS a specialty.

Our stock of GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS is complete in every respect.

Call and examine our Stock.

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Opposite Wrinkle's, First Street.

Stock fresh and complete. Prescriptions carefully

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EIGHTEENTH ANNUAL BALL

OF THE

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Hibernian Benevolent Society

WILL BE HELD AT

TURN HALLE

ON MONDAY EVENING, MARCH 18, 1878.

Committee of Arrangements:

J. M. Gearin, T. D. McManus, William Casey,
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T. B. McDevitt, R. B. Sinnott, C. O'Brien,
W. J. Quirk, Wm. Healey, T. Murtha,
J. J. Winters, Jas. Kennedy, P. Maloney.
T. Rodgers.

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M. J. Gleason, W. J. Quirk, P. Maloney.

Floor Manager.

T. B. McDevitt.

Floor Committee.

J. J. Winters, T. Murtha, T. D. McManus,
C. O'Brien, Jas. Kennedy, James Noonan.

MUSIC will be furnished by the Northwestern Band. Prof. C. Parrish, Prompter.

TICKETS (admitting gentleman and ladies) $2. mh1td

FIRST

GRAND BALL!

Given by the

WILLAMETTE TRIBE No. 6,

IMP. O. R. M.,

At the Turn Halle,

THURSDAY EVENING, MARCH 28, 1878.

Committee of Arrangements.

A. Schuman, A. Staender, J. Frick.

MUSIC will be furnished by the Northwestern Band.

TICKET (admitting gentleman and ladies) $1.50 May be had of the Committee of Arrangements.

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GRAND CELEBRATION

OF

St. PATRICK'S DAY

AT

PORTLAND, OREGON,

Monday, March 18, 1878.

OFFICERS OF THE DAY:

Grand Marshal, - - - Michael Phelan
President, - - - - Thos. B. McDevitt
Orator, - - - - Hon. John M. Gearin

ORDER OF MARCH

FIRST DIVISION.
Grand Marshal and Aids.
Northwestern Band.
Emmet Guard.
Portland Hibernian Benevolent Society.
Ancient Order Hibernians.
SECOND DIVISION.
Marshal and Aids.
College Band.
Father Matthew Total Abstinence Society.
Benevolent Societies.
Citizens on Foot and in Carriages.

THE PROCESSION

Will form on Ash street, right resting on First st., at 10 o'clock precisely, and march down Ash to Front, up Front to Stark, up Stark to First, up First to Columbia, up Columbia to Fourth, up Fourth to Mill, up Mill, to St. Mary's Academy, where the pupils will perform

Vocal and Instrumental Exercises,

After which the Procession will reform on Fourth street, march down Fourth to Stark, down Stark to First, down First to New Market Theater, where the Oration will be delivered by Hon. John M. Gearin, after which each organization will march to their respective halls. mh11d6

SALOONS.

ELSTON & LEWIS

N. S. Stark Street, bet. Front and First,

WILL OPEN

SATURDAY EVENING MARCH 9th,

With a full and complete stock of the

Best Wines, Liquors & Cigars.

Jacob Strahle's Popular Billiard Tables. Everything Elegant and Comfortable.

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AGAIN IN BUSINESS!

HAVING PURCHASED THE POPULAR PLACE known as the

ARCADE SALOON,

I am now prepared to wait upon my friends and the public in general with

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Beer 5 cts. a glass.

On Washington St., bet. First and Second.

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Gambrinus Brewery

WEST END OF B STREET.

THE BEER BREWED AT THIS BREWERY IS supplied to the public at the well known

GAMBRINUS SALOON,

Corner First and Pine streets.

Try it and judge its quality.

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WILL OPEN

On or about

Wednesday, March 20th,

With a

Complete Assortment

OF

Ladies', Misses', Children's and Infants'

SHOES AND GAITERS.

PRICES CHEAPER than the CHEAPEST.

E. W. COLEMAN, PROPRIETOR,

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Mr. COLEMAN is at present in San Francisco where he will remain permanently for the sole purpose of being near the Shoe market, where he can make advantageous purchases—advantageous for himself and patrons alike. mh15d6t

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EX BARKENTINE JANE A. FALKINBURG, from Honolulu, direct—

3,300 KEGS ISLAND SUGARS, Assorted grades. Also

470 BAGS HONOLULU RICE,

Now landing, and will be offered to trade at low rates.

mh8d1m ALLEN & LEWIS.

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REGULAR SALES—Wednesdays and Saturdays. HORSE SALES—At Goddard's Stables, every Tuesday at 2 P. M.

REGULAR SALE.

At Salesroom, 87 Front St.,

SATURDAY, MARCH 16, 1878,
At 10 o'clock A. M.,

Bedroom Sets, Mattresses.
Extension Tables, Desks, Meat Safes.
Sewing Machines.
1 Goldsmith Range.

ALSO,

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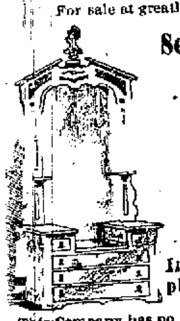

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In Walnut, Ash, Maple, Alder and Spruce.

This Company has no Agent or Partner residing in San Francisco to buy *Cheap Trash* at auction. All their goods are manufactured in this city by Oregon workmen, and, with the exception of the Walnut, which does not grow in this State, of Oregon Lumber.

A full stock of Bedsteads, Bureaus, Washstands, Stands, Chairs & Towel Racks.

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The attention of the public is directed to these Goods. Our aim shall be to offer the best articles at the most reasonable prices

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Persons wishing to examine can find them at my residence, corner Sixth and Mill streets, at I. F. Powers' Furniture Store, or at Oglesbee & Laubach's, corner of Taylor and Front streets, where produce of all kinds will be taken in exchange.

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HACHENEY & BENO,

Grocers & Seedsmen,

N. W. cor. First and Taylor Sts.

HAVING PURCHASED THE ENTIRE STOCK of first class groceries of Hacheny & Stemmo, we are prepared, with an additional new stock, to fill all orders.

Please call and examine our goods and prices.

GOODS DELIVERED FREE to all parts of city.

ANOTHER TEST!

[TELEGRAM.]

Steilacoom, W. T., Feb. 13, 1878.

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A number of these Superior Fire Proof Safes, or prices, &c., will be furnished by applying to

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Samples now open for inspection.

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Organized 1859.

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Capital - - $5,000,000

With unlimited liability of stockholders.

Amount of Capital paid up in Cash..............$1,000,000
Income for the year 1877............1,076,874
Losses paid 552 09
Losses paid since organiza'n..........4,016,845
Total Assets............1,931,482
Surplus as regards Policy Holders............1,293,038

Value of Stock as quoted in the English, Australian and New Zealand Stock Markets, $45—$10 being paid up.

C. P. FERRY, Inspector. J. B. RIGGEN, Agent.

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Home Mutual Insurance Co.

OF CALIFORNIA.

J. F. HOUGHTON,...............President
CHAS. R. STORY,...............Secretary
HAMILTON BOYD, } ....Agents for Oregon
GEO. L. STORY, }

OFFICE—Northeast corner of Stark and First Sts., Portland, Oregon.

Net Cash received for Fire Premiums in 1877.........$335,511 04
Assets, Jan. 1, 1878..................578,065 85
LIABILITIES—
Losses unpaid,...$3,638 37
Dividends " ...1,957 00 5,595 37
Surplus for Policy Holders. $572,470 47
Losses paid in Oregon in six years..................$114,516 72

THE CALIFORNIA

Insurance Company

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

Organized February, 1861.

Capital, (Paid up in Gold.) $300,000 00
Assets, (January 1st, 1878.) 527,730 63
Liabilities (Except Capital) 79,975 27
Net Surplus (For Policy Holders) 447,755 36
Total Loss (Paid since Organiza'n) 1,265,705 76

This substantial Company, the oldest and most successful of all the California Insurance Companies, having deposited $50,000 with the State Treasurer of Oregon as required by law, has established a Branch Office at No. 9 First st., Ankeny's Block, Portland, for the transaction of

Fire and Marine Insurance.

SAM'L M. DONNELL,

General Agent for Oregon and Washington Terr'y.

Agents wanted in all the principal towns of Oregon and Washington Territory. fe23d6m

Aggregate Capital [illegible]

"Imperial" of London,
"Northern" of London,
"Queen," of Liverpool,

[illegible]

CORBITT & MACLEAY,

Agents,

W. F. BROWN, Manager.

UNION

Insurance Company

FIRE AND MARINE.

Capital, (PAID UP IN GOLD COIN,) - $750,000
Assets, exceed $1,000,000

BRANCH OFFICE FOR OREGON,
First National Bank Building, Portland

W. S. CALDWELL, Agent.

THE STATE

Investment & Insurance

COMPANY,

OF SAN FRANCISCO

FIRE AND MARINE.

Incorporated in 1871.

Cash Assets, - $475,000.

OFFICERS:

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CHARLES H. CUSHING, Secretary.

This Company has no connection with any Insurance combination; its business is transacted at the Lowest Paying Rates, each risk being rated according to its own merits.

The undersigned, having been appointed General Agents for the above Company, are now prepared to accept applications and issue Policies for Fire and Marine risks at equitable rates.

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General Agents for Oregon and Washington Territ'y

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The American Almanac, price......$1 50
The Antelope and Deer of America 4 50
The Khedive's Egypt.................... 1 50
Boston Monday Lectures, vols. 1, 2, 3, per vo.................... 1 50
Hand Book of Northwestern Ornithology, by Coues............ 4 50
Harper's Pictorial History of the [illegible] 12 00

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BY A YOUNG LADY, SEWIN
by the day or week.
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in a small family.
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highest price will be paid
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FOR A GENTLEMAN AND
gentlemen, in a pleasant
at the Oregonian office.

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A FURNISHED ROOM IN A
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GOOD ROOMS WITH OR
on Second street,
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near the Postoffice.

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Market Stalls Nos. 1, 2,
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the bests Stands on First
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FOR SALE AT MILWAU
an acre of Land, one
For rent at Portland,
Lots in Block 58 Carter's Ad
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lot, One Dollar. Apply
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A CHOICE LOT,
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corner lot; street imp
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inches, any length.
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in the healthy
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LETTER LIST.—The following letters remain uncalled for at Wells, Fargo & Co's. express office: L. B. Berlin, Miss Nellie Hall, P. Koenigsbergen, Chris. Kennel, Mrs. Lucretia Livingston, Gery Luksich, Mrs. McKay, Miss G. Melrose, W. S. Plummer (2), O. T. Soderback, John D. Shanahan, Miss Annie Valancour, Tyler Woodward, Wm. Waterford.

FAREWELL CONCERT.—Mr. Jesse Shepard, in response to a generally expressed desire on the part of the public, will appear at Good Templar hall to-morrow (Sunday) evening. On that occasion Mr. Shepard will render a number of his truly marvelous vocal and instrumental selections. Tickets can be procured at Blum's cigar store.

STATE CIRCUIT COURT.—Judge Shattuck yesterday afternoon excused all jurors in the state circuit court from further attendance until next Thursday—21st inst. To-day, a number of motions will be disposed of, and this afternoon court will adjourn until next Wednesday morning at the usual hour.

SERENADED.—Shortly after 10 o'clock last evening the members of the Glee Club called at this office and treated editors and compositors to a regular old-fashioned serenade. They sang several selections in a pleasing manner and then withdrew. The members of the club will please accept thanks.

PASSED OUT—ARRIVED.—The steamer *Geo. W. Elder* crossed the bar Thursday and passed safely out to sea. The steamer *Ancon* arrived at San Francisco yesterday.

BRIEF NOTES.

Steamer *Chester* arrived.

Weather a little mixed yesterday.

Another big mail by the steamer.

County court will convene to-day.

Nine prisoners are confined in the city jail.

James A. Herne is playing at Baldwin's Theater, San Francisco.

Bert's dramatic company started for Walla Walla yesterday morning.

Uncalled for—at the W. U. T. office—John Driscoll (passenger on *City of Chester*).

Mr. James M. Ward, the popular actor, intends to return to San Francisco on the *Chester*.

Our Irish citizens propose to celebrate next Monday in grand style—music, parade and winding up with a ball.

Bishop Morris has gone to Walla Walla on a visitation that will extend over several weeks. This church is to receive a new rector soon.

Capt. Jack and company performed at Reed's Opera House last night. They will give a matinee this afternoon and appear for the last time to-night.

We understand that there is some probability of Oliver Dodd Byron, who is at present playing an engagement at the Bush Street Theater, coming to Portland.

The *Churchman* learns that the probabilities are that Bishop Morris will attend the meeting of the Lambeth council, leaving here about the 20th of May and sailing from Philadelphia on the 8th of June.

Now that potatoes are a dollar a bushel, would it not be wisdom on the part of the lawmakers to "murphyize" turnips, and thus add to the supply of spuds for an oppressed and hungry people?

Chaplain Stubbs makes a report of progress in the matter of canvassing for funds and materials for a Seamen's Bethel and Friendly Inn for the port of Seattle. He reports over $250 subscribed.

SPECIAL CHURCH NOTICES.

Unitarian church.—Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Subject of the evening discourse, "Gluttony."

Services at the Taylor street M. E. church at the usual hours, 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Praise service at 6:30 P. M. A cordial invitation to all.

First Baptist church, corner of Fourth and Alder streets, Rev. A. S. Coats, pastor.—Services to-morrow at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 12:30. Sunday evening prayer meeting at 6:30; Thursday evening prayer meeting at 7:30. A cordial welcome to all.

At the Congregational church, J. A. Cruzan will preach in the morning on "A Life of Service," and in the evening on "Drinker, Seller & Co., bringing out prominently the forgotten sin of the senior and junior partners in the crime of liquor selling. Seats free and a cordial welcome.

At the Presbyterian church, corner of Washington and Third streets, Rev. A. L. Lindsley, D. D., pastor. Public worship morning and evening. Next lecture on the real Eastern question: "The city of Constantine, the bridge between the ancient and modern civilization." Ushers at the door to conduct strangers and visitors to seats.

THE COURTS.

STATE CIRCUIT COURT—SHATTUCK, J.

FRIDAY, March 15th.

James H. Farnsworth vs. Olsen and D. Sprague—Motion for a new trial overruled; judgement on their verdict.

D. W. Davis vs Mary Dougherty and James Dougherty—Demurrer to the complaint sustained; allowed until to-morrow morning to plead.

John B. Price vs Jas. H. Fisk et al.—Decree of foreclosure.

Margaret Owens vs J. L. Friedman—Judgement on the verdict.

Moses Wagner vs Joseph Burkhardt et al.—Cause tried and submitted.

The jury was discharged until the 21st—Thursday; and the court will adjourn to-morrow evening until Wednesday.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

Elsewhere is Joseph Kohn's latest announcement. The forthcoming arrivals necessitate positive disposition of goods in store, and a great reduction has been made in order to close out surplus stock.

Sparks & Shaw have opened an agency for the Remington Sewing Machine on First street, near Salmon. This machine has met with great favor, and is now introduced to this public for the first time. Call and examine it.

On the 20th Mr. E. W. Coleman will open on Third street, a new shoe store, with an entire new stock, purchased recently in San Francisco. Mr. E. C. Frohman, who is well known in the business, will manage the establishment, while Mr. Coleman looks after the purchasing of goods in Frisco.

METEOROLOGICAL RECORD.

AT 7:57 P. M.

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Red Bluff	30.07	61	SE	—	Cloudy.
Sacramento	30.13	63	S	—	Fair.

POLICE COURT NOTES.

Only one case was disposed of yesterday in police court: D. Jaffer, using abusive and obscene language, fined $5, paid and defendant discharged.

The majority of Portlanders have seen a suite of parlor furniture in the show window of Messrs. Shindler & Chadbourn, pronounced by far the finest ever manufactured in this city. We now behold an elegant suite of bedroom furniture. "Nothing like it," "Very handsome," were the expressions of those who saw it to-day.

Gem pictures, 24 for 50 cents, and all other sizes in proportion. Children's pictures taken in one second. Gallery, opposite postoffice, Portland. Branch of Wing & Allen, S. F.

Monnastes has made a reduction of 25 per cent on crockery and glass ware and all other goods in his line. Go to him to get bargains. No. 129 First street.

Just received a large lot of bracelets to be sold at 25 cents a pair; also a lot of back combs to be sold at 25 cents each. Mrs. Chas. Tichnor.

For cheap calico wrappers and ladies' and childrens white aprons go to Mrs. H. Ach, corner of Second and Morrison streets.

For ladies' and children's cheap underwear go to Mrs. H. Ach.

Europe wants peace, but Columbia wants Noble Whisky. For sale in lots to suit, ex recent arrivals, by W. J. Vanschuyver & Co., 39 Front street.

For lace bibs and cheap embroideries go to Mrs. H. Ach.

THE CONCERT.

Last evening the first vocal and instrumental subscription concert (second series), of the Amateur Musical Society was given at Masonic Hall. A very large and fashionable audience was present. The members of the society were kindly assisted by Miss Flora Abraham, Mr. G. Franz, Prof. E. Stebinger and the Turn Verein singing section. Part first consisted of a grand overture by the orchestra "Nabucodonosor" (Verdi); chorus by the Turn Verein section, "How I have Loved Thee," (Marchner); piano duet by Messrs Stebinger and Harris, "La Radieuse Valse de concert," (Gottschalk); Zither solo by Mr G. Franz "Reminiscence of Tyrol," (Ettinger); vocal solo by Prof. Stebinger, "Serenade," (Franz Abt); orchestral selections, "La Belle Helene," (Offenbach). Part second was composed of the following selections: Chorus by the singing section, "The Water Lily," (Franz Abt); violin solo by Mr. S. Frank from "Faust" (Gounod); Fantasie, "Traumbilder," by the full orchestra (Lumbye); vocal solo, "O Mio Fernando," with orchestral accompaniment, by Miss Flora Abraham; waltz, "Feshe Geister" (High Life), from Strauss by the full orchestra. Throughout, the concert was a rich musical treat. Much care and taste had been exercised in making the selections. The rehearsals had been complete, so that there were no hitches or delays, each exercise being given with spirit and effect. Beyond all question, the real gem of the evening was the "Traumbilder" (Dream Picture), composed by H. C. Lumbye, being a musical interpretation of a beautiful Danish poem. This was performed by the orchestra. The music is dreamy and weird, but sparkling with lovely gems of melody and exquisitely beautiful in its arrangement. The selection was so keenly appreciated by the audience that the orchestra was compelled to repeat the entire piece. Miss Flora Abraham, who rendered an operatic selection, is deserving of complimentary notice. She possesses a clear, sweet voice, with a good measure of warmth and pathos, and evinces much culture and taste. The young lady was heartily encored by the delighted audience. This first concert must be recorded as a very gratifying success, and the society feel greatly encouraged at the measure of patronage accorded.

The orchestra is composed of the following performers: Director, Mr. Simon Harris; violins, Messrs. Frank, Brenner, Gill, Bell and Blankholm; violincello, Dr. Rex; double bass, Mr. Hegele; flutes, Messrs. Finck and Talbot; cornets, Messrs. Timm and Kay; horns, Messrs. Yost and Elgg; trombone, Mr. Timm; zither, Mr. Franz; piano, Mr. Stebinger.

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION.

A few days since the articles of relinquishment filed in the office of the county clerk were published in THE OREGONIAN. Yesterday new articles of incorporation were filed, of which the following is a synopsis:

The name assumed by this corporation, and by which it shall be known, is "The General German Aid Society," (*Die Allgemeine Deutsch Unterstutzungs Gesellschaft.*)

The objects of this corporation are to erect and maintain a German hospital in the city of Portland; to provide for the nursing of sick members of the society; to relieve needy and distressed Germans; to obtain employment to unemployed Germans; to furnish advice and information to German immigrants, and to have, own and possess such real and personal property as may be necessary or convenient to carry out the objects of this corporation, and the same to exchange or dispose of at pleasure, and generally to use and manage the funds of the society for such charitable or benevolent uses as the said society may appoint.

The estimated value of the property owned by and held in trust for the society is $9,000. The sources of revenue are initiation fees, monthly dues from members, gifts, donations and bequests.

The titles of the persons making these articles are president, vice president, secretary, treasurer and trustees, who together constitute a board of directors. Their successors in office, excepting those of the trustees, are elected by ballot at a regular meeting to be held on the second Tuesday in January of each year, to hold office for one year. The successors of the trustees are elected in the same manner, as follows: At the next annual election, on the second Tuesday in January, 1879, one trustee, to hold office for three years; one trustee to hold office for two years, and one trustee to hold office for one year. Thereafter there shall be elected, in the same manner, at each regular annual election one trustee, to hold office for the term of three years.

Vacancies occurring in the board of directors shall be filled by the remaining members thereof, subject however to the confirmation of the society at its next regular meeting.

The location of this society is Portland, Oregon.

H. SAXER, President.
C. V. WINTZINGERODE, Vice President.
P. WAGNER, Secretary.
C. A. BURCHARDT, Treasurer.
F. Opitz, J. S. Keller, Ad. Burchardt, Trustees.

RICH STRIKE IN MONUMENTAL MINE.

The following letters were received at the company's office in this city Thursday evening:

MONUMENTAL MINE, March 4, 1878.

G. S. Miller, General Manager of Monumental Silver Mining Company: DEAR SIR—Struck four foot ledge in face of north drift on No. 18 to-day. Ore extremely rich, samples of which I forward to the office to-day. Great excitement at the mine. W. P. Mount feels rich. Dan Dogherty thinks he is O'Brien and, to tell you the truth, I feel rich myself. (Signed), H. McCANN.

MONUMENTAL HILL, March 4. 1878.

Mr. Miller—DEAR SIR: Ledge in north drift. on No. 18, four feet wide and rich; Monumental in levels and shaft nowhere; best ledge of its inches ever struck on the continent. Great excitement here over the strike. Monumental worth $10 to-day. Come up immediately.

(Signed) W. P. MOUNT.

A box of the ore was received Thursday night, and was on exhibition yesterday. The ore is antimonial and ruby silver, and will mill $2,000 per ton. This is the most important discovery ever made in any quartz mine outside of the bonanza of the Comstock. The office of the company has been visited by large numbers of people, and the stock has been eagerly sought for at $1 per share, it being rumored that the company will sell no more stock.

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TO THE PEOPLE OF OREGON.

Dr. Souville Mathieu, the eminent French physician, whose wonderful cures have appeared in our columns, will benefit the people of Walla Walla, W. T., and vicinity, with his wonderful instrument called The Paris Spirometer, which we know has cured several hundreds in our state. That instrument conveys medicated inhalations direct to the seat of disease. That wonderful instrument is a blessing to mankind and a credit to his name. We recommend the Doctor very highly to the afflicted. The Doctor will be in Walla Walla a few days only.

$1 lamps are sold for 75c at Monnastes', and all other goods in the line of crockery and glass ware sold at the same reduction. First street, between Morrison and Yamhill st.

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WHITMAN COUNTY, W. T.

SOME ACCOUNT OF ITS LANDS, CLIMATE AND PROSPECTS—AN ATTRACTIVE PLACE FOR THOSE SEEKING HOMES.

WHITMAN COUNTY, W. T., March 4, 1878.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

That part of eastern Washington territory known as Whitman county, is attracting more attention abroad as being endowed with greater natural advantages and unfailing resources, than any other scope of country in this great northwest.

It is the "new El Dorado" to which the great march of immigration is taking its way, and, though considerable effort is made by the citizens of this and adjoining counties to make known the facts concerning our present condition and future prospects, our industries have not been enumerated or expatiated upon at sufficient length.

Our citizens have not heretofore been credited with that degree of enterprise and public spirit which is justly due them by virtue of their untiring labors in behalf of this country; neither is our moral status or social privileges commented upon with any degree of enthusiasm. Our educational advantages are left untold, and altogether I think it my duty, in default of other means, to communicate to THE OREGONIAN a few facts relating to this prosperous country, the Palouse.

Immigrants usually, in selecting a permanent home, have the cautionary nature to such a degree that they are disposed to make certain inquiries regarding the country in which they contemplate locating before taking the important step.

The most natural questions are the following, which I will answer in turn.

What is the nature of the climate?

Is it a healthy locality, or otherwise?

What is the state of the society as regards morality, sociability and school privileges?

Other questions relating to soil, resources, markets, timber, etc., would necessarily follow. When these questions are truly answered, the querist can easily decide whether or no this is the country for which he is searching.

Our climate may be described as being comparatively mild, clear, cold weather taking the place of the disagreeable rains incident to Oregon.

During five years past the greatest depth of snow has not exceeded one foot, and, as a general thing, the temperature is mild as compared with some of the Eastern States.

During the winter just past, our coldest temperature was 10° above zero. However, this is an exception to the general experience of old settlers. Usually the coldest weather is 10° below zero, which lasts but a few days; but as a general thing we are favored with the mildest weather. It is needless to pursue the subject of weather; suffice it to say that those who have lived here for a number of years, and who ought to be qualified to testify, say that this is the most desirable climate they ever saw.

Healthfulness is a marked feature of the Palouse country; our great altitude, near proximity to the mountains, and bracing breezes wafted from "Ceylon's Isle," via the classic haunts of the historic Chinook, each conspire to render this a healthy locality for everybody save the doctors.

Perhaps to the majority of people the most important consideration is regarding the moral standing of the community in which they contemplate locating. Regarding this I will speak presently.

Considering the newness and comparatively undeveloped condition of this country, we are led to believe that we can boast of a large number of lasting enterprises. Influential men are beginning to learn of the great future in store for this country, and are establishing enterprises among us, which will be lasting monuments of our primitive prosperity.

The waters of Snake river, which glide along on their clear, winding way to the sea, upon whose verdant banks are springing up numerous towns, soon to be numbered among the most thriving cities of the west, will serve us well for years as an outlet, in default of having a more ready means of communication with the outside world.

Let us speak of these river towns more fully: After leaving Lewiston on our voyage down the river we come first to Wa Wa Wai, an embryo city under the proprietorship of J. C. Matheny. Here are two large warehouses, one owned by Mr. Matheny and one by Hawley, Dodd & Co., which do a large storing and shipping business. The people of this thriving burg are fortunate in being possessed of a good school and all the advantages of more aged cities.

The next in turn is Almota, which, without doubt is the most promising point on the river. Its industries have mostly accrued within the last year, and consist of two warehouses, managed respectively by Hawley, Dodd & Co. and Paine Bros. & Moore, of Walla Walla. They also have a large store of general merchandise, which, in connection with the Almota flouring mills, is owned by Adams Bros. & Co., of Walla Walla. A ferry is now running there, which is a great convenience to travelers.

They also have a fine two-story hotel, large livery stable, shoe shop, saloon and other minor business houses. A little farther down the river we find the quiet little town of Penawawa.

Here the outlook is most encouraging. The Colfax daily mail crosses at this point, and being an important station on the passenger line leading from Waitsburg to Colfax, it is sure to remain a lively business point.

I will not tire you by giving a description of all our inland towns, but will mention them as being bright stars in the constellation composing our sisterhood of young cities embraced by the Palouse country. D.

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Number of years preparing for office	25
Number of years spent in office	43
Number of years of present term unexpired	1
Number of years in legislature	6
Number of years in federal house	5
Number of years as federal senator	22
Number of years as governor	1
Number of years as collector	2
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Salem, March 15, 1878.

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State Treasurer.
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SATURDAY MORNING, MARCH 16, 1878.

WILLIAM FRANCIS BARTLETT.

[Whittier's Memorial Poem in the March Atlantic.]

Oh well may Essex sit forlorn
Beside her sea-blown shore;
Her well beloved, her noblest born
Is here in life no more.

If early from the mother's side
Her favorite child went forth,
Her pride so amply justified
Is in a hero's birth.

No lapse of years can render less
Her memory's sacred claim;
No fountain of forgetfulness
Can wet the lips of fame.

A grief alike to wound and heal,
A thought to soothe and pain
The sad sweet pride that mothers feel
To her must still remain.

Good men and true she has not lacked;
And brave men yet shall be;
The perfect flower, the crowning fact,
Of all her years was he!

As Galahad pure, as Merlin sage,
What worthier knight was found
To grace in Arthur's golden age
The fabled Table Round?

A voice, the battle's trumpet-note,
To welcome and restore;
A hand, that all unwilling smote,
To heal and build once more!

A soul of fire, a tender heart
Too warm for hate he knew
The generous victor's graceful part
To sheathe the sword he drew.

The more than Sydney of our day,
Above the sin and wrong
Of civil strife, he heard alway
The angels' Advent song!

When Earth, as if on evil dreams,
Looks back upon her wars,
And the white light of Christ outstreams
From the red disc of Mars,

His fame who led the stormy van
Of battle well may cease,
But never that which crowns the man
Whose victory was Peace.

Mourn, Essex, on thy sea blown shore
Thy beautiful and brave,
Whose failing hand the olive bore,
Whose dying lips forgave

Let age lament the youthful chief,
And tender eyes be dim;
The tears are more of joy than grief
That fall for one like him!

EAST VS. WEST.

COMPLIMENTS TO WESTERN FINANCIAL DEMAGOGY ON THE OCCASION OF WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY.

[From the New York Times Feb. 23.]

The weather showed a good deal of delicate consideration yesterday in releasing us from our fancied obligations to celebrate the birthday of George Washington. The force of custom would doubtless have led us to take some notice of the day had not the weather interfered, and we should be really grateful that we have been spared the commission of so manifest an absurdity.

It is very certain that the people of the great free west have no reason to hold in honor the character or career of Washington. They know all about him, and it would be useless for any of his admirers—if such there be—to soften or conceal his meanness and crimes. George Washington was a loathsome aristocrat, who never, so far as is known, did a day's work in his whole life. History may be safely challenged to mention a single occasion on which Washington dug ditches, laid sewer-pipes, carried bricks and mortar, or worked at a trade. Consequently, he was not a working man, but a luxurious aristocrat, who received during his early life a magnificent salary for merely wearing a general's uniform, and who, in his latter days, notoriously and shamelessly lived on the interest of his money. He not only had money in the bank, but he reached the lowest depths of scoundrelism as a holder of bonds and mortgages. He was that enemy of the human race, a creditor, and with the cold-blooded selfishness of a Shylock, he expected that his debtors would pay him their debts. While many of his fellow citizens, men who earned their bread by hard work, lived in log cabins on the Western prairies, Washington lived in a fine mansion on the banks of the Potomac, and had the effrontery to pretend that he had a right to [illegible] because he had paid for it.

Furthermore, this so-called father of his country was a gentleman, and a man of intelligence and culture. [We have the authority of many eminent Western statesmen for asserting that next to a Shylock, an intelligent and cultured gentleman deserves the contempt and hatred of American citizens.] He had some little knowledge of political economy, and he was an unblushing advocate of honesty. During his entire public life he never improved an opportunity for cheating his creditors, and he never once proposed to cheat the creditors of the nation. These charges are made deliberately, and with a full sense of their enormity. If Washington's admirers, of which it is understood that a few still survive, chiefly in the eastern states, can successfully repel these charges, let them do so. If they cannot, let them cease to ask enterprising freemen whose representatives have just passed the silver bill to affect reverence for the memory of this weak and spiritless wretch. While the west produces such noble statesmen as Matthews, Ewing and Bland, it is as impudent as it is silly to ask the constituents of these great men to stultify themselves by showing respect to the memory of one who was a personification of all that the west regards as hateful and revolting.

If the west has a right to despise the character of Washington, we of the east have, in our turn, no reason to show any gratitude for his alleged public services. There was a time when it seemed as if Washington, in securing the independence of the country, had conferred upon us a substantial benefit, but the eastern states can no longer boast of their independence. Washington released us from the rule of Great Britain, but the final result has been our subjection to the rule of the west. Already western newspapers taunt us with our helplessness to resist the demands of western repudiators, and western statesmen threaten us with measures in comparison with which the silver bill is a matter of slight consequence. In congress, where the southern slave-holder once cracked the plantation whip, the western demagogue now fits his familiar pig yoke to our helpless necks. It is foolish for us to ignore the truth which Mr. Ingalls so plainly parades before us. We have exchanged the rule of the stupid and honest George III. for the rule of the ignorant and dishonest western repudiator. We must suffer from his crazy legislation and bear the shame of his impudent dishonesty. Of course Washington could not foresee that this was to be the result of the war through which he successfully led the soldiers of New England, New York and New Jersey; but now that we have been taught that we are the bond slaves of the west, there is room to question whether, after all, we owe any great debt of gratitude to the hero of the revolution. Let us, then, cease to perpetrate the idle mockery of hoisting on Washington's birthday the flag of repudiation. (The west has avowed the conviction that the principles which governed Washington's life were those of a fool and a Shylock.) The eastern states have discovered that the independence which Washington gave them has vanished, and that they hold their property and their honor at the caprice of the west. For Indiana to honor Washington is an absurdity; for New York to celebrate his birthday is a mockery. It is time to blot the twenty-second day of February out of the American calendar.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Financial.

FRIDAY EVENING, March 15, 1878.

Gold in New York, 101¾.

Legal tenders in Portland—buying 97½, selling 98½@98¾.

Silver in Portland, buying 3½@4 per cent. discount.

San Francisco Market.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 15.—Wheat—Better feeling; choice milling, $1 87½@1 90; shipping, $1 80@1 85.

Barley—Active and firm; bay feed, $1 50; brewing [illegible]

Rye—Nebraska, $2 25.

Oats—Firm at $1 35@1 70.

Corn—Scarce and firm; yellow, [illegible]

Potatoes—Active and firm at $2@2 40.

Shipping Intelligence.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 15.—Arrived—Ship Dashing Wave, Tacoma; bark Gen. Cobb, Seabeck; bark Enoch Talbot, Departure Bay; str Ancon, Astoria; Hol bark Dom. Nicholas, Nanaimo; Br bark Parkwood, Sydney; Br bark Cormorant, Manila; str City of Peking, Victoria; ship Seminole, New York.

Sailed—Br ship Amana, Liverpool; bktn North Bend, Astoria; ship Otago, Seattle; bk Amethyst, Bellingham Bay; schr Alice, Port Gamble; bk Forest Queen, Port Ludlow; brig Deacon, Port Discovery.

Liverpool Markets.

LIVERPOOL, March 15.—Breadstuffs firmer; wheat 11s@11s 8d for average California white.

First Arrival.

LONDON, March 15.—The first of the grain from the Black Sea since the raising of the blockade has arrived at Falmouth.

Philadelphia Wool Market.

PHILADELPHIA, March 15.—Wool quiet but firm; supply light.

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List of letters remaining in the postoffice at Portland, county of Multnomah, Oregon, March 15, 1878. Persons calling for these letters must give the date on which they are advertised.

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Beard,MrsHarvey
Briggs,MrsJennieF
Buckenmeyer,Mollie
Afsted,MrsC
Beal,MrsJA
Beland,Mary
Bills,MrsJennieS

Clark,Lizzie(2)
Coufill,MrsOliver
Crane,MrsHoward
Chalmers,NettieA
Collins,MrsBell
Conrey,MrsSA
Carlson,Marie
Campbell,MrsRosa
Clark,MrsGeo
Chambers,MrsW
Condon,MrsJuly

Dalton,MrsMargaret(2)
Doherty,MrsJohanna
Dubois,MrsJE(2)

Edgar,MrsEA

Flannigan,Ellen(2)
Fisher,MrsIdaMay
Field,MrsFanny
Fielkerson,Annie

Gabbey,MrsAC
Gallagher,MrsEdelen
Gordon,Nettie
Gould,MrsDW
Gayle,MrsBenjR
Gundlach,MrsAnna
Gordon Josie
Guild,Rachel

Harker,MrsE
Hansen,MrsMollie
Harte,MrsJohn
Herrell,MrsMaryA
Helleving,Lena
Holcomb,Mary
Harris,MaryA
Hara,MrsWA
Hawkins MrsAD
Hesselberg,MrsM
Hurlburt MrsJA
Houseman,MrsRosa

Johnson,Delia
Johnson,Lizzie

Kelly,MissFR(2)
Kellogg,Sarah

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Lawrence,Nellie
Louner,MrsCarrie
Long,MrsNancyE
Ladd,Linda
Lewis,MrsRebecca
Loller,MrsRH

Mankin,MrsJoe
Marcham,MissEI
Molkins,MissLouisa
Mathson,Matilda
Mills,MissL

Nye,MrsSarahE
Newton,Adell
Nooning,MrsSusanP
Nye,MrsBH
Nooning,Susan

Oldenstadt,Louisa
O'Brien,MrsS

Parsons,MannieD
Potter,MrsCarrie A

Randall,MrsFannieJ
Reid,Miss

Spaulding,Hannah
Spelzenber,MrsJohn
Smith,MrsWalterD
Scott,MrsAnnie
Synder,MrsMC
Smith,MaryD
Smith,AnnieM
Scott,MrsSusannah

Taylor,MrsLizzie
Thomas,Annie
Tuttle,MrsJ
Thompson,MrsLizzie

Young,Josey

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Abota,N
Anderson,CE
Allen,James
Adams,Mr
Angley,G

Blackett,WE
Barry,B
Bohr,Edward
Brown,DrLG
Balch,James
Bernheimer,S
Briggs,John
Burwell DN
Bartels,Oscar
Boyson,Henry
Brown,AF

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Carlton,CM
Cooper,AJ
Critz,W
Cilley,E
Cortwright,J
Conboy,J
Christian,JW
Cary,RC
Coomans,J
Colson,A

Deguire,B
Dahlquist,J
Decker,SW
Doyle,P
Delrick,JW
Driskell,WE

English,CO
Ellenwood,B
Elliott,RP
Elias,JA

Flood,W
Fisher,L
French,B
Fisher,L
Farris,JW
France,SC

Guinness,WT
Germar,M
Greninger,T
Gawthrop,H
Goldthetta,L
Geiger,W
Grozenger,F

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Holmes,JK
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King,JH
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Long,J
Lenon,J
Lower,BE

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Moor,FG
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Merry,TB
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Miller,J
McCormick,C

Nally,NC
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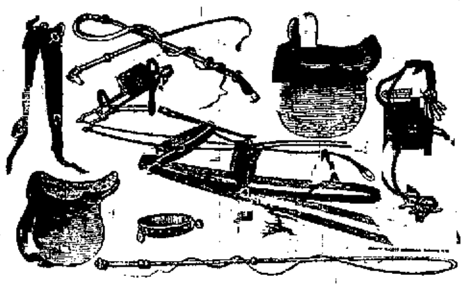

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GENERAL NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

The Wrecked Train.

CHEYENNE, March 16.—The wreck at North atte is not so bad as first reported. A train s made up at Platte, leaving there at 4 P. on the 14th, passing around the wreck on ack which had been laid, and arrived here A. M. on the 15th, proceeding to Ogden, iving there only three hours out of time d making connection with the Central Pa ic, having made up eleven hours from North atte to Ogden. One car of Australian pasngers will arrive at San Francisco on time.

The Heaviest Snow Storm.

DEADWOOD, March 16.—The heaviest snow orm experienced since the settlement of the ack Hills by white men commenced on the th and continued unabated until the 12th. e snow in the city on a level is over five et deep. All mail and telegraphic commun ication has been interrupted. The last mail ceived arrived from Cheyenne on the 9th. addition to mail coaches and passengers, msters and freight trains are snow-bound the vicinity of the Hills, and it is feared uch suffering and loss of stock will ensue. nsiderable damage is done throughout the ining camps and in the gulch by the imense weight of snow crushing in the roofs houses, and many persons have had narrow capes from being buried under falling build. Every effort is being made to break the ads so mails and stage communication with e outer world can be resumed. The heavy ow fall has allayed all fears entertained by iners and mill men of a scarcity of water ring the present season.

Death of Commodore Graham.

NEWBURGH, N. Y., March 16.—Commodore n Hodges Graham, of the U. S. navy, died apoplexy last evening, aged 81. The comodore was one of the twelve officers who ok part in the midnight expedition against e stronghold opposite Black Rock, in which e officers were killed or severely wounded, aham receiving a wound in the ankle which used amputation of the limb afterwards.

Billiard Match.

NEW YORK, March 16.—Sexton, the cue ampion, and Yank Adams the finger biliardist, played two games to-day, finishing ir match. The scores were reduced and dams was required to make 1,000 points to xton's 500 in the afternoon game and the ke was won by Adams, Sexton's score ing 445. The evening game for a supplentary purse resulted, Sexton 500, Adams Best runs in the games were Sexton 139 d 107, Adams 242 and 220.

Communistic.

ST. LOUIS, March 16.—The Socialistic workgmen held a large demonstration in Masonic all, celebrating the 16th of March as the aniversary of the Paris commune. The hall as thronged. Addresses were made in Geran, English and French. Colors of various ationalities were displayed, also red flags of e Social Labor Union.

Heavy Robbery.

BOSTON, March 16.—A heavy robbery was ommitted this afternoon at the Lechmere ational Bank, East Cambridge. President all was putting away the books and arrangg papers in the vault when a buggy containg a man and woman drove up. Hall being quested by the man to come to the side walk transact some business with the woman, he id so and on his return found a trunk contain g government bonds and securities amountg to $47,000, and $3,000 currency had been stracted. The president was absent not ove two minutes. No clue to the perpetrars.

Anti-Tariff.

ALLENTOWN, Pa., March 16.—The demonstration to protest against the passage of the ood tariff bill was a grand success.

Panic among Savings Bank Depositors.

BOSTON, March 16.—The panic among vings bank depositors is continued to-day, d the crowd in front of the Five Cent vings Bank was even greater than yestery. It paid to-day another $90,000. A small oportion of the depositors around the doors ere of the laboring class, deaf to all statements of the safety of the institution. The rectors resolved not to take advantage of e sixty days' notice.

At Provident Savings Institution there was considerable number of persons, principally omen. The bank paid out yesterday about 0,000, and probably an equal amount to-day. e officers say they think the run has been aused by the passage of the bill regulating ayments by savings banks by commissioners, hich it is apprehended will operate against positors who may wish to withdraw.

At the Suffolk bank, while there was no n, there were a number of withdrawals. sterday the bank paid out $27,000 and received $5,000.

The trustees of the Franklin Savings Bank proved the action of the officers, requiring xty days' notice.

Wages Reduced.

BOSTON, March 16.—The Fall River manucturers have voted a 15 per cent. reduction of wages, beginning April 1st.

Reward Offered.

RICHMOND, March 16.—Governor Holladay has offered $100 reward in each case for the arrest of the party that hanged Charlotte Harris (colored) in Rockingham county, on the night of the 6th inst.

Mine Transfer.

DEADWOOD, D. T., March 16.—The Caledonia mine, located in Shoemaker Gulch, between Lead City and Central, was purchased on the 12th by California men for $80,000.

The Usual Deadwood Festivities.

Last night Charles W. Hunt, while under the influence of liquor, went to the City Lodging House and began a tirade of abuse against the proprietor, C. W. Tappan. He was requested by the latter to leave the house, which he refused to do. After some more sharp words Hunt drew a revolver and shot Mr. Tappan through the bowels, inflicting a mortal wound.

An ex-Official of South Carolina Wanted.

NEW YORK, March 17.—A special from New Haven, Conn., says: A South Carolina officer, on a requisition from Governor Hampton, on Thursday, obtained an order from Governor Hubbard, of this state, for the arrest of H. H. Kimpton, ex-financial agent of the ring which sold illegal bonds of the state of South Carolina. Kimpton is supposed to have left the city.

St. Patrick's Day.

NEW ORLEANS, March 17.—St. Patrick's Day was celebrated here by a fine procession of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, Benevolent Association, Mitchell Rifles and Irish Rifles. Weather pleasant, and streets through which the procession passed filled with spectators.

ST. LOUIS, March 17.—St. Patrick's Day was celebrated by the Irish societies with a street parade, participated in by 8,000 men. The procession was headed by the Montgomery Guards and Taylor Guards, and then came the benevolent societies.

CHICAGO, March 17.—St. Patrick's day was celebrated by services in all the Catholic churches, and a parade by various Catholic societies.

CINCINNATI, March 17.—St. Patrick's day was celebrated by a large procession and usual religious services. The procession was of unusual length and remarkable for the good order maintained.

Failure.

ST. LOUIS, March 17.—The schedule of assets and liabilities of J. T. Utterbock & Co., wholesale dealers in boots and shoes, has been filed. The liabilities are $214,000, the most of the claims being held by eastern firms, chiefly of Boston. Assets are, stock $80,000, cash $31,000, notes $20,000, open account, $25,880; total $157,880.

Fires.

MEMPHIS, March 17.—The Peabody Hotel took fire this evening and was damaged $20,000; insured.

LOUISVILLE, March 17.—Chess, Carly & Co.'s oil refinery, the largest of the kind in the south, was partially destroyed by fire early